

# NO ANALYSIS REQUIRED

## Franchise Tax Board

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Related Bills: None Telephone: 845-6458 Introduced Date: 02-17-2004

Attorney: Patrick Kusiak Sponsor: \_\_\_\_\_

**SUBJECT:** State Agency Procedures For Disposal of Information Technology Goods/Data On Surplus Data Storage Hardware Shall Be Overwritten

- \_\_\_\_ ANALYSIS NOT REQUIRED of this bill -- Not within scope of responsibility of this department.
- X TECHNICAL BILL -- No program or fiscal changes to existing program.
- \_\_\_\_ BILL AS AMENDED NO LONGER WITHIN SCOPE of responsibility or program of the department.
- \_\_\_\_ TECHNICAL AMENDMENT -- No change in previously submitted analysis required. Approved position of prior analysis is \_\_\_\_\_.
- \_\_\_\_ MINOR AMENDMENT -- No change in previously submitted analysis required. Approved position of prior analysis is \_\_\_\_\_.
- \_\_\_\_ MINOR AMENDMENT -- No change in approved position of \_\_\_\_\_.
- \_\_\_\_ See comments below.
- X OTHER - See comments below.

### COMMENTS:

This bill would require state agencies to overwrite or render unrecoverable any data that is contained on surplus data storage hardware prior to disposing of, auctioning, or transferring the hardware from state possession.

Currently, the Franchise Tax Board (FTB) has procedures in place that require equipment, such as hard-drives, to be swiped or wiped clean multiple times prior to any data hardware being transferred from FTB possession.

As a result, this bill would not impact the department's programs and operations.

#### Board Position:

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